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Atty's Dkt: AUSSEIL1 In re Application of: Application Division Dominique AUSSEIL ATTN: PCT Serial No. 10/588,105 Washington, D.C. IA Filing Date: May 9, 2007 Confirmation No. 3719 For: METHOD AND DEVICE ENABLING DEFINED... Date: May 17, 2007 LATE SUBMISSION OF DECLARATION AND/OR TRANSLATION IN APPLICATION FILED UNDER 35 USC 371 U.S. Patent and Trademark Office **Customer Service Window** Randolph Building, Mail Stop Missing Parts 401 Dulany Street Alexandria, VA 22314 Sir: The present communication is in response to the "NOTICE OF MISSING REQUIREMENTS UNDER 35 USC 371..." dated April 3, 2007. Attached hereto is/are: An executed oath or declaration in compliance with 37 C.F.R. 1.63, identifying the present application by title and priority [XX] information A Preliminary Amendment was filed March 30, 2007 [XX] Fees are reduced due to Preliminary Amendment [XX] An Information Disclosure Statement with 08A- 1449 and references. [] Additional fees as calculated below: [X] Search and Examination Fee \$600.00 Surcharge of \$130.00 for furnishing the oath or declaration later than [] 20 [] 30 months \$130.00 from the earliest claimed priority date (37 CFR 1.492(e)). Number of each additional 50 pages or fraction thereof (round RATE up to a whole number) X \$250.00 **Number of Claims** Number of Extra Claims Rate Previously Paid For 10- 20 = 0 X \$ 50.00 0 X \$200.00 3 = \$ Multiple Dependent Claims (if applicable) + \$360.00 TOTAL OF ABOVE CALCULATIONS \$730.00 Reduction of ½ for filing by small entity, if applicable. Applicant claims small entity status. <\$365.00 > See 37 CFR 1.27. SUBTOTAL \$365.00 Processing fee of \$130.00 for late furnishing of the English translation. TOTAL NATIONAL FEE \$365.00 Surcharge for late filing of the Declaration was paid on It is hereby petitioned for an extension of time in accordance with 37 C.F.R. 1.136(a). The appropriate fee required by 37 C.F.R. 1.17 is calculated as shown below: Small Entity Other Than Small Entity Response Filed Within Response Filed Within First 60.00 First \$ 120.00 \$ 225.00 Second Second \$ 450.00 Third \$ 510.00 Third \$1,020.00 Fourth \$ 795.00 Fourth \$1,590.00 Fifth \$1,080.00 \$2,160.00 month after time period set month after time period set [XX] Total fees enclosed: \$365.00 Credit Card Payment Form, PTO-2038, authorizing payment the amount of \$365 .00 is enclosed to cover the above fees. Conditional Petition for Extension of Time: [XX] If any extension of time for a response is required, applicant requests that this be considered a petition therefor. [XX] The Commissioner is hereby authorized and requested to charge any additional fees which may be required in connection with this application or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 02-4035. This authorization and request is not limited to payment of all fees associated with this communication, including any Extension of Time fee, not covered by check or specific authorization, but is also intended to include all fees for the presentation of extra claims under 37 CFR 1.16 and all patent processing fees under 37 CFR 1.17 throughout the prosecution of the case. This blanket authorization does not include patent issue fees under 37 CFR 1.18. BROWDY AND NEIMARK,

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NOTIFICATION OF MISSING REQUIREMENTS UNDER 35 U.S.C. 371 IN THE UNITED STATES DESIGNATED/ELECTED OFFICE (DO/EO/US)

The following items have been submitted by the applicant or the IB to the United States Patent and Trademark Office as a Designated / Elected Office (37 CFR 1.495).

Indication of Small Entity Status

Date Mailed: 04/03/2007

- Copy of the International Application filed on 07/31/2006
- English Translation of the IA filed on 07/31/2006
- Copy of the International Search Report filed on 07/31/2006
- Information Disclosure Statements filed on 07/31/2006
- Small Entity Statement filed on 07/31/2006
- Request for Immediate Examination filed on 07/31/2006
- U.S. Basic National Fees filed on 07/31/2006
- Priority Documents filed on 07/31/2006

MSP = 03 JE2007,

The applicant needs to satisfy supplemental fees problems indicated below:

The following items **MUST** be furnished within the period set forth below in order to complete the requirements for acceptance under 35 U.S.C. 371:

- Additional claim fees of \$1280 as a small entity, including any required multiple dependent claim fee, are
 required. Applicant must submit the additional claim fees or cancel the additional claims for which fees are
 due.
- Oath or declaration of the inventors, in compliance with 37 CFR 1.497(a) and (b), identifying the application by the International application number and international filing date.
- To avoid abandonment, a surcharge (for late submission of filing fee, search fee, examination fee or oath
 or declaration) as set forth in 37 CFR 1.492(h) of \$65 for a small entity in compliance with 37 CFR 1.27,
 must be submitted with the missing items identified in this letter.

SUMMARY OF FEES DUE

Total additional fees required for this application is \$1645 for a Small Entity:

- \$65 Surcharge.
 - The application search fee has not been paid. Applicant must submit \$200 to complete the search fee. Note a surcharge will be required if submitted later than commencement of the national stage (37 CFR 1.492(h)) and the basic national fee was not paid before July 1, 2005.
 - The application examination fee has not been paid. Applicant must submit \$100 to complete the
 examination fee for a small entity in compliance with 37 CFR 1.27. Note a surcharge will be required if
 submitted later than commencement of the national stage (37 CFR 1.492(h)) and the basic national fee
 was not paid before July 1, 2005.
- Total additional claim fee(s) for this application is \$ 1280
 - \$1100 for 44 total claims over 20.
 - \$180 for multiple dependent claim surchare.

ALL OF THE ITEMS SET FORTH ABOVE MUST BE SUBMITTED WITHIN TWO (2) MONTHS FROM THE DATE OF THIS NOTICE OR BY 32 MONTHS FROM THE PRIORITY DATE FOR THE APPLICATION, WHICHEVER IS LATER. FAILURE TO PROPERLY RESPOND WILL RESULT IN ABANDONMENT.

The time period set above may be extended by filing a petition and fee for extension of time under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a).

Applicant is reminded that any communications to the United States Patent and Trademark Office must be mailed to the address given in the heading and include the U.S. application no. shown above (37 CFR 1.5)

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